



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
OF APPLICATION -- FILING DATE GRANTED**

Docket Number:  
2207/13282

Application Number  
09/989,857

Filing Date  
November 19, 2001

Examiner  
Not Yet Assigned

Art Unit  
Not yet  
assigned

Invention Title  
A PERFORMANCE OPTIMIZED APPROACH FOR  
EFFICIENT DOWNSAMPLING OPERATIONS

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Signature:

Gerard A. Messina

To complete the filing requirements for the above-referenced application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53, enclosed please find:

- 1.) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed December 6, 2001.
- 2.) A copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
- 3.) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) surcharge fee of \$130.00 to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.
- 4.) A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: 1/4/02

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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 12/06/2001

## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

